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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 23 November 2007 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

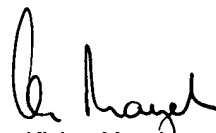
- a) ☐ entered.
- b) ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
- c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

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- d) ☒ disapproved. See explanation below.
- e) ☐ entered in part. See explanation below.

The Notice of Allowability dated 3 October 2007 has an examiner's amendment to claim 1 and for the cancelling of non-elected claims 6-10. The above amendment do not reflect the amendment to claim 1 and is redundant to the cancelling of non-elected claims 6-10.

Note: The replacement sheet of drawings filed on 2 January 2008 is accepted by the examiner.


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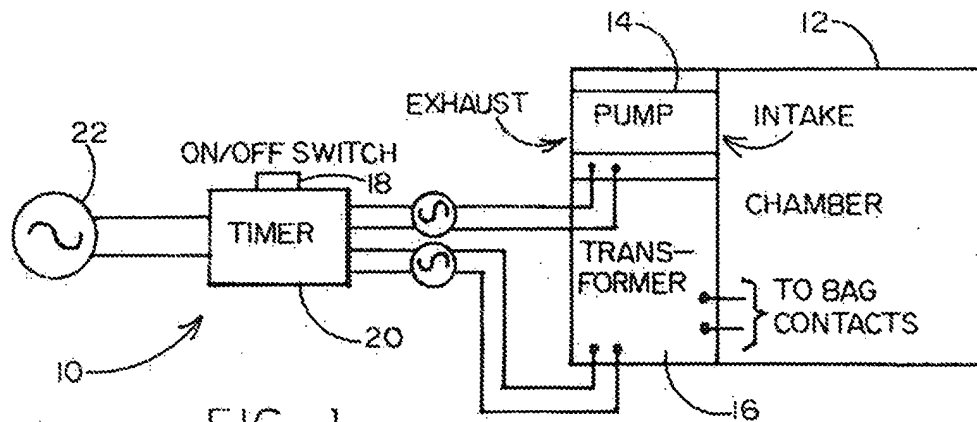


FIG. 1

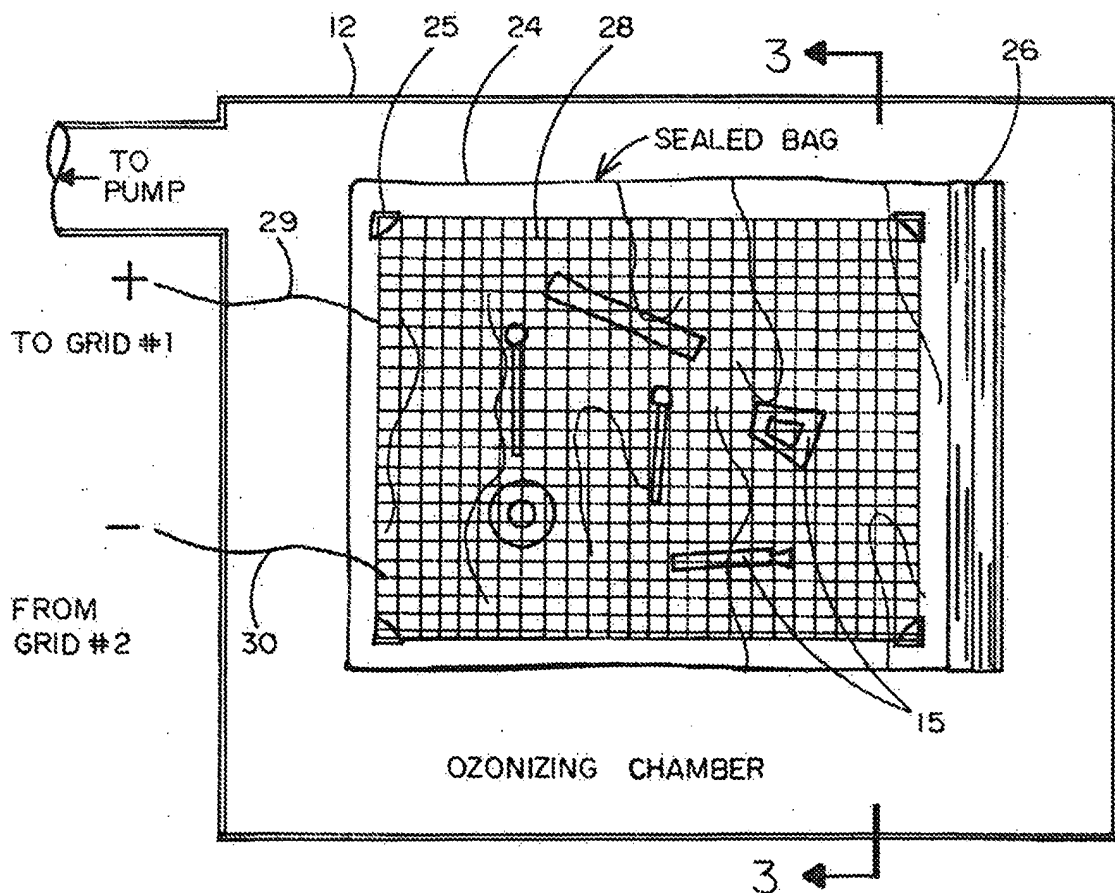


FIG. 2